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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 JOSE A. GARCIA,
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12 Petitioner,
13 v.
14 WARDEN, FCI-MENDOTA,
15 Respondent.
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CASE NO. 1:23-CV-00833-SAB-HC

ORDER SEALING DOCUMENTS AS SET FORTH
IN GOVERNMENT'S NOTICE

(ECF No. 14)

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18 Pursuant to Local Rule 141(b), and based on the representations contained in Respondent's
19 Request to Seal, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondent's Exhibit 2 to its Superseding Motion to
20 Dismiss and Response, pertaining to Iqbal, and Respondent's Request to Seal shall be SEALED until
21 further order of this Court.

22 It is further ordered that electronic access to the sealed documents shall be limited to Respondent
23 and counsel for Petitioner.

24 The Court has considered the factors set forth in Oregonian Publishing Co. v. U.S. District Court
25 for the District of Oregon, 920 F.2d 1462 (9th Cir. 1990). The Court finds that, for the reasons stated in
26 Respondent's Request, sealing Respondent's Request and Exhibit 2 serves a compelling interest. The
27 Court further finds that, in the absence of closure, the compelling interests identified by Respondent would
28 be harmed. In light of the public filing of its Notice to Seal, the Court further finds that there are no

1 additional alternatives to sealing Respondent's Request and Exhibit 2 that would adequately protect the
2 compelling interests identified by the Government.

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4 IT IS SO ORDERED.

5 Dated: **January 11, 2024**


UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE